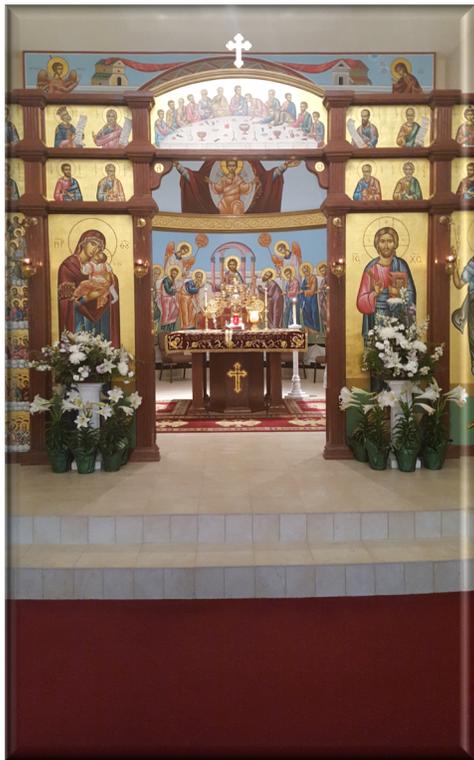
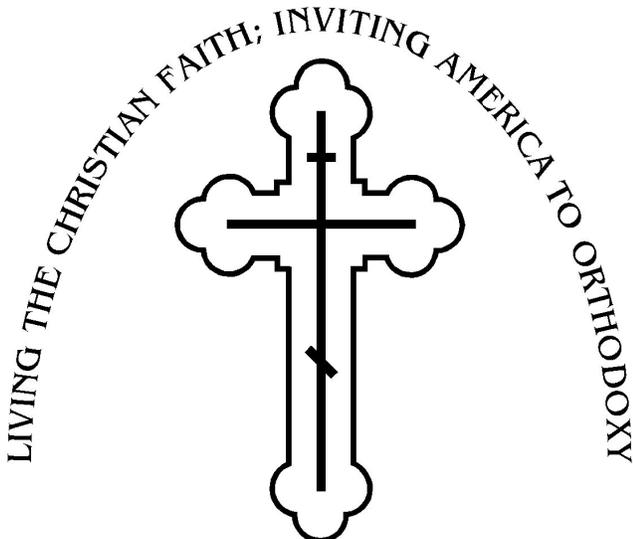
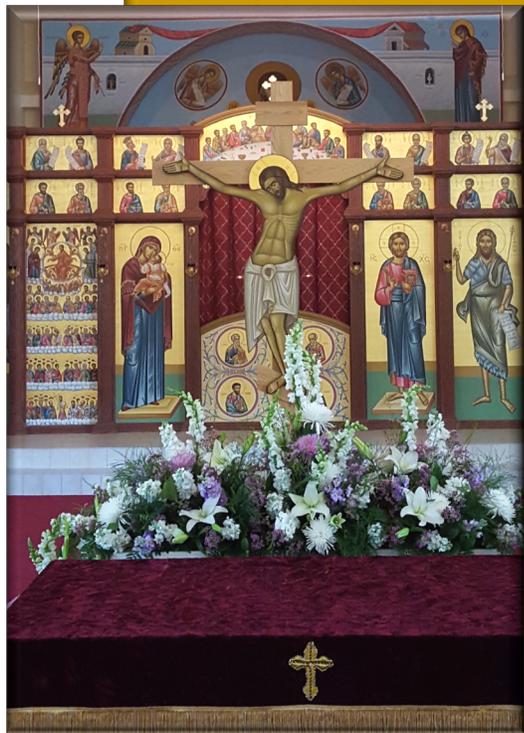


All Saints Orthodox Church



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2020 Annual Report

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2019 Annual Meeting Minutes (12/9/2019)

Minutes will be sent at a later date.

Priest's Report—2020

*This is the day the Lord has made. We will rejoice and be glad in it.
(Psalm 118:24)*

The State of the Parish

Since this is my last report as your pastor, you can imagine it is difficult for me. It has been twenty-eight years since we began as a small mission in Cary—twenty-eight years of sharing joys and sorrows with all of you—twenty-eight years of baptizing children, chrismating adult converts, celebrating weddings, and praying memory eternal for the departed—twenty-eight years of sermons, of adult classes—twenty-eight years of visiting the faithful in hospitals and nursing homes—twenty-eight years of house blessings and spiritual counseling sessions. Truly my life has been full and meaningful during these years we have shared together—years of mutual love and respect.

I have often said that there is no better parish in the whole Archdiocese than All Saints. Your love, your warmth, your faith, your steady commitment to the work of the church, your generosity with your time and your skills, and your financial resources have been used by our Lord to build His Church here in Raleigh. I thank God for all of you—past and present. I know that all of you are concerned with the effect the pandemic has had on our beloved church. Your parish council and I are confident that All Saints is surviving well by God's Grace and will continue to faithfully follow Christ. Even with all the difficulties we have experience due to the Coronavirus, we can say with St. Paul: "We are hard-pressed on every side, yet not crushed; we are perplexed, but not in despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed" (2 Cor. 4:8-9). All Saints will survive to rejoice in yet another day that the Lord has made.

Now it is time to open another chapter in the life of our parish. God has provided us with a dedicated, loving and humble man to take the helm when I retire. Fr. David and I have worked very closely during these last five months. He is not only a priest that I respect and love, but I am confident that he will lead you as a loving shepherd while being led by the Good Shepherd Himself. As I retire, I know that you all will be safe and grow spiritually under his leadership.

Khr. Barbara and I plan to spend the next few months traveling and leaning to adjust to our new reality, and to give Fr. David time to bond with all of you. When we return, we will regularly join you in worship, occasionally help Fr. David at the altar (as needed), and possibly share more Sven and Ole jokes and enjoy times of fellowship with you. We need your continued prayers and love and you can be sure that you have ours.

May our Father bless all of you and keep you under the shelter of His wings, granting you His joy and His peace.

Fr. Nicholas

Membership for the Year (as of 11/27/20)

Official Membership in 2019 = **328** (Active Adults & Children)

New Members (active) added in 2020

By Baptism and Chrismation

Adults = 1

Children = 3

By Chrismation = 4

By Transfer

Adults = 8

Children = 0

Total Additions = 16

Members (active) lost in 2020

Total losses = 17 (Due to reclassifying some from active to inactive)

Current Official Membership 2020 = 327 (Active Adults & Children)

Last year's average attendance January-October at Divine Liturgy = 220

Current average in-person attendance January-November at Divine Liturgy = 83
(low due to pandemic restrictions. Does not include those who attended online.)

Number of funerals = 2

Number of weddings = 2

2020 Parish Council Chairman's Report

The Year in Review

Despite the challenges we have all faced in the 2020 calendar year, All Saints Orthodox Church remains a strong community of the faithful, preaching the Gospel message in the greater Raleigh area. It has been an honor to serve with the parish council this year. I would like to highlight some of the things we have accomplished this year.

We extended the reach of our worship services to include live video streaming. This has helped us remain connected as a community amidst the restrictions we have faced, which prohibited large gatherings for a portion of this year. Even now after transitioning to limited-capacity in-person attendance, the video streaming remains and will continue to remain as a means to connect with members of our community who are not able to be present with us. We are actively working on upgrading the technologies involved to provide a higher-quality video streaming in the near future.

After reopening for in-person attendance of the liturgical services, we implemented protocols in order to remain obedient to the regulations defined by our local government and the directives set forth by His Eminence, Metropolitan Joseph. These protocols are intended to mitigate the risk of COVID-19 infection as we gather together. The cooperation we have seen from our parishioners has been very positive. We thank God for their loving obedience, and that no COVID-19 outbreaks have occurred within our community.

The financial footing at All Saints remains stable. In addition to meeting our financial obligations we have taken steps to reduce our debts and lower our expenses. We refinanced our mortgage to a lower interest rate, and have paid down principal. We were also able to add a beautiful tiled extension to the solea, and cover the salary of a full-time assistant priest for 5 months of this year. This was all made possible by your faithful giving of financial offerings to our church.

As we reach the end of the year, we prepare for Fr. Nicholas' retirement from his role as Senior Priest of All Saints. We thank God for the years of service that he and Kh. Barbara have dedicated to All Saints. May God grant them many years! Likewise we were blessed to welcome Fr. David, Kh. Destiny and their daughters Elizabeth and Adelaide into our All Saints family. May God continue to bless All Saints Orthodox Church!

Thank you all! Glory to God for all things!

In Christ,

Michael Mercuris, Parish Council Chairman

2020 Choir Report

“...be filled with the Spirit, addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with all your heart.” Ephesians 5:19

2019 was a year of both change and consistency for the choir.

The biggest change flowed from our esteemed Deacon John Pelikan's ordination to the diaconate, as a result of which I became the primary choir director. This transition went quite smoothly (from my perspective, at least) due in large part to the hard work of Deacon John and his predecessors to establish a strong choral tradition at All Saints over many years, and to develop both me and Paul Rogers as assistant choir directors over the previous year. I am grateful to Deacon John for all his hard work and support, to Paul for continuing to serve as an amazing assistant choir director, and to all the members of the choir for bearing with me during the transition and for dedicating their time and energy to making our services more beautiful every week. And of course, I am grateful to Father Nicholas for entrusting me with this important ministry.

The second change has only just begun over the past month. In consultation with Father Nicholas and Deacon John, the choir has begun incorporating new arrangements of some of our liturgical music. These arrangements are from the Composer in Residence of the Department of Sacred Music of the Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese of North America, nazo zakkak. (Mr. zakkak prefers for his name to be spelled in lower casing.) We hope you will enjoy these new arrangements as much as the choir does. We will introduce them slowly over time (thus far we have only changed out the music for the 1st and 2nd antiphons), and we hope that you will over time learn to sing them alongside the choir. Congregational singing is an important tradition at All Saints, and I certainly do not want to lose that.

Despite all that change, choir attendance has been remarkably consistent this year. Most weeks we have robust numbers of both men and women (and teens!) in attendance, helping to achieve a full sound and contribute to the beauty of everyone's worship experience. We can always use more members, however, so if you have interest in joining us, and have a talent or a desire to learn, please don't hesitate to speak to me (or Father, or Deacon John, or Paul) at coffee hour. We are especially short on tenors, so if you are a tenor and have been thinking about joining the choir – make this your year!

We have also seen relative consistency at the chanter's stand this year, with Deacon John continuing to lead most services. He is ably assisted by an expanding group of assistant leaders and chanters, including Rdr. Constantine, Sdn. Nate, Fiona Kelly, Karis Pelikan, and Lauren Evancho (as well as Asa Keim at the beginning of the year, of course). If you have not been able to attend many services other than the Divine Liturgy in the past, their beautiful chanting is one more reason to redouble your efforts in the upcoming year.

My goals for 2020 include:

- Continuing to develop as a choir director, including successfully leading the choir through my first Nativity and Paschal seasons.
- Ongoing incorporation of additional new liturgical music arrangements by nazo zakkak.

- First time attendance (for me) at the Sacred Music Institute.
- Development of one or more additional assistant choir directors to ensure coverage throughout the year (without requiring Deacon John's help).

Glory to God for all things!

Your fellow servant in Christ,

Aaron Hallberg, Choir Director

2020 St. Thekla (Antiochian Women) Report

Our Work

EVERY WOMEN WHO ATTENDS ALL SAINTS CHURCH IS A MEMBER OF THE ST THEKLA GROUP.

St Thekla Work During the Year at All Saints

- The Executive Board was meeting approximately every other month to review finances and plan events.
- The St. Thekla Group hosts 3-4 events each year highlighting a variety of interests and topics, such as a Mother's Day tea, writing Christmas cards for parishioners.
- During Antiochian Women's Month St. Thekla helps coordinate women to read the Epistle, usher and take the offering on each Sunday of the month.
- Approximately once per month during the school year, Khouria Barbara was leading a Saturday morning ladies' book study.
- The St. Thekla ladies also provide baby baskets or showers, and provide meals to new mothers and others who have a need, such as recovering from surgery or serious illness.
- Masks were distributed to those who requested one.
- St. Thekla ladies coordinate potluck dinners for the twelve major feasts and meals for other occasions such as Meatfare Sunday, Soup Suppers during Great Lent, and coordinate set-up and clean-up for the Pascha Picnic. Additionally, during the Sunday of Orthodoxy this year, the ladies provided a soup dinner to all who attended.

St Thekla Work in the Community

- We collect socks for the homeless in October.
- We have a knitting/crocheting group whose members knit items to give to babies and to donate to people in hospitals, nursing homes, etc.
- We pray for our Friends in Need shut in list, as well as sent "Thinking of You" cards.
- We provide Christmas gifts to local families and donate to the Guardian Ad Litem program.

St Thekla Fundraisers

- Making and selling Advent and Lenten soup and bread.
- Making and selling Baklava to the community in November.

How We Use the Funds

- Buy kitchen, Coffee Hour and Pascha Picnic supplies.
- Provide Christmas gifts for local families in need and donate to the Guardian Ad Litem program.
- Sent \$500 to Metropolitan JOSEPH's Appeal for the Beirut Explosion, as well as \$1,500 to support the yearly Mercy Mission of the AW-NAB.
- Send soup and bread sale proceeds, to the Bittle family for their special needs daughter. This summer we sent an additional \$500.
- Send our chapter dues to the Diocese of Miami and the Southeast Antiochian Women.

Many thanks to the Saint Thekla Board Members: Kristin Jubinski (Vice-Chair), Cheryl Christopolous (Secretary), Kyra Zoranski (Treasurer) and Patsey Strange (Activities Coordinator), Carolyn Early (Past-Chair), Sharon Ware (Past-Secretary), and to all the women of All Saints. Through your actions you bring the message of Christ to our Parish and our community.

Respectfully Submitted,

Mary Kay Hulse, Chairman, St Thekla

2020 St. Nicholas Men's Group Report

Report to the Annual Meeting – December 2020

The group originally started in 2014 as a way for the men of All Saints to build friendships and fellowship along with serving our community. The group operated under the name of St. Nicholas until 2018 when we became part of the AMEN group of the Antiochian Archdiocese of North America. AMEN stands for Antiochian Men.

We want everyone to know that all the men of All Saints are automatically members of the group, regardless if you attend the events or not. All the men of our church are welcome and encouraged to come to all of the events.

The AMEN group of North America uses an app called Band to post articles, videos, announce upcoming events and connect people socially. The Band app can be found in the App Store. All events for our local All Saints group will be announced through our email distribution list.

We started the year off with two events. In January, we had a dinner at the Carolina Ale House in Cary. On February 23rd, Meatfare Sunday, we met at the Shake Shack for our last hamburgers before the start of lent.

In March we were scheduled to volunteer with the Habitat for Humanity to participate in the Orthodox Build. Unfortunately, that was cancelled due to Covid. Since March, we have not had any events. We look forward to continue AMEN events as soon as possible. Again, all men are welcome and encouraged to attend our events.

In Christ,

Pete Christopoulos, Chair

Bob Hulse, Vice Chair

Kevin Hasbun, Secretary

2020 Teen SOYO (Society of Orthodox Youth Organization) Report

We are very blessed at All Saints to have a large number of teens who are active in the parish and interested in expanding their participation in worship, fellowship and service in the church. Our youth participate in our services, informally gather together, and interact in myriad ways throughout the year. The Teen SOYO program is available for teens ages 13-19, and currently at All Saints, we have 20 - 25 teens in this age range. On average, we have about 15 teens attend the meetings and events.

We have had an unusual year with the pandemic, and as such our usual meetings and humanitarian efforts were greatly reduced. We are looking forward to 2021 with the hope that at some point in the year, we can once again gather safely and have our usual activities and humanitarian functions. At the beginning of the year we held board meetings roughly once every month or 2, to iron out details of upcoming projects, plan potential outings and humanitarian efforts, however come March these came to a halt as we waited for the new normal. Under normal non-pandemic times, we strive to have full teen meetings 2 to 3 times a year, with additional opportunities to participate in humanitarian projects and fun gatherings. As the pandemic has continued, and gathering safely difficult, we have moved to Zoom meetings. These are not as fun for the teens, but allows us to “gather” and interact some.

The goal of our SOYO program is to bring our youth closer to Christ and His Church. Some of activities in the past year include:

- Annual Canned Food Drive, held during Advent. The food is brought to the NC Food Bank and distributed to those in need throughout the state. For the 2019-2020 winter collection, we totaled 1147 lbs. We will begin the collection again this year as now the food bank is seeing a huge increase in requests for help.
- Several teens and youth leaders attended the Winter Delegates Meeting in January.
- Several teens also attended the 2nd annual winter camp at St. Thekla Church Camp for a long weekend in February.
- Our normal reading the Psalms on Holy Friday during the evening Vigil was cancelled due to the pandemic.
- Food for the Hungry: these monies are collected during Lent and sent to the National Archdiocesan Council. The collection for 2020 totaled \$1893.66.
- We have had a few Zoom gatherings with the teens. Unfortunately, they have not been well attended but we plan to continue these opportunities as a means for teens not yet comfortable at services to stay in touch with other teens from the parish.
- Delayed due to the pandemic, we voted via email on the new SOYO board in late September.
- Due to the pandemic this year, we were unable to do the Guardian ad Litem Back to School Project where All Saints members purchase school supplies and the teens fill back packs. Instead donations were requested to be sent directly to the Guardian Ad Litem Back to School Project.

- We will sell Liturgical calendars during Advent again this year. Although the method of sale is being determined for safety. Last year we made approximately \$150.00 on the calendars.
- In December 2019, the teens sponsored a parent night out event and watched the kids for several hours. This year, due to the pandemic, we will be unable to hold the event.
- Other humanitarian efforts that we will try to incorporate in 2021, in addition to the annual ones, are meals on wheels, and lunches to Raleigh Rescue Mission, and perhaps working with the Brown Bag Ministry. We are also looking into working an event with Triangle Down Syndrome Network perhaps fall of 2021.

A very big heart filled THANK YOU to Father Nicholas, the Parish Council and the All Saints Parish. Your support of the teens and their humanitarian efforts are amazing! We are truly blessed with your support and love – it is more than anyone could hope for and we feel very blessed. This parish is a wonderful example of Christ's love. A simple thank you does not seem to truly convey our love and thanks from all the teens, but... Thank you with our love!

Our officers for the 2020-2021 year are as follows:

Kari's Pelikan, **Chair**

Quinn Labrozzi, **Vice Chair**

Stella Hallberg, **Secretary**

Stephen Sandor, **Treasurer**

Mera Wagoner - **Activities Coordinator/Humanitarian Coordinator**

Respectfully Submitted,

Danielle Labrozzi, Teen Advisor

2020 Education Report

When I updated the messaging on the church school page on the church website last year I called on families to take ownership of their children's religious education and described how our church school program would support their effort. I wrote, and maintain today, 45 minutes a week is not nearly enough time to convey the breadth and beauty of our faith to our children. We all need to do our best to educate our children in the faith, every day, parents and church school teachers alike.

Boy, has that philosophy taken on a whole new depth of meaning in 2020!

Our regular church school programming transitioned to at home education support in March of 2020 due to COVID 19 restricting our ability to meet in person. The first few months of the pandemic I gathered and shared numerous online resources for families to use each week while worshipping and studying at home. By the end of what would have been the end of the church school year we had resumed some in person worship albeit on a staggered schedule.

The staggered attendance schedule and large number of children we are blessed with in our parish presented some challenges for resuming church school in the fall. After conferring with our church school teachers and Father Nicholas it was determined in person church school would not be attempted for the fall. Instead, we focused on providing more hands on resources for our church school families to use each month in the form of churchschool@home kits.

These kits are designed for two age levels- elementary and middle school/high school. They seek to support our families as they walk through the church year together with a focus each month on the Great Feasts and saints commemorated that month. Each family was also gifted a book to read and discuss together through the fall. Additionally, there are always age appropriate coloring pages and other small hands on activities to encourage our families to pray, read and talk together about the Orthodox faith.

We are delighted to serve the 71 children, representing 36 families, who signed up to receive churchschool@homekits. For comparison, in August 2019 we had 82 children register for regular in person church school. I think that's a pretty wonderful retention rate, especially in the midst of such a trying time. This tells me our families really value church school education and are looking for ways to explore the faith with their children. Thank you, thank you, thank you to all of our parents for stepping up, signing up for kits and trying to walk this path with us. I sincerely hope the materials have been meaningful to you.

Thank you to Father Nicholas for his constant support of our education programs every year but especially this year. Thank you to our teachers who I know miss teaching your kids very much-

This year's teachers are as follows:*Preschool*

Teachers- Zorica Craciun and Sara Moss

K & 1st Grade

Teachers- Patty Bianco and Dawn Evancho

2nd and 3rd Grade

Teachers- Mary Kliewer and Anna Muresan

4th and 5th Grade

Teachers- Chris Hallberg and Sueanna Alter

Middle School

Teachers- Ileana Ibanescu and Sh. Shell Keim

High School

Teachers- Protodeacon David Keim and Matt Bianco

Thank You

We all very much look forward to the day when we can have our loud, messy, fun church school program in full swing again. Thank you for trusting me with this precious ministry. Please remember all of our church school families in your prayers.

Respectfully Submitted,

Christine Hallberg, Director of Education

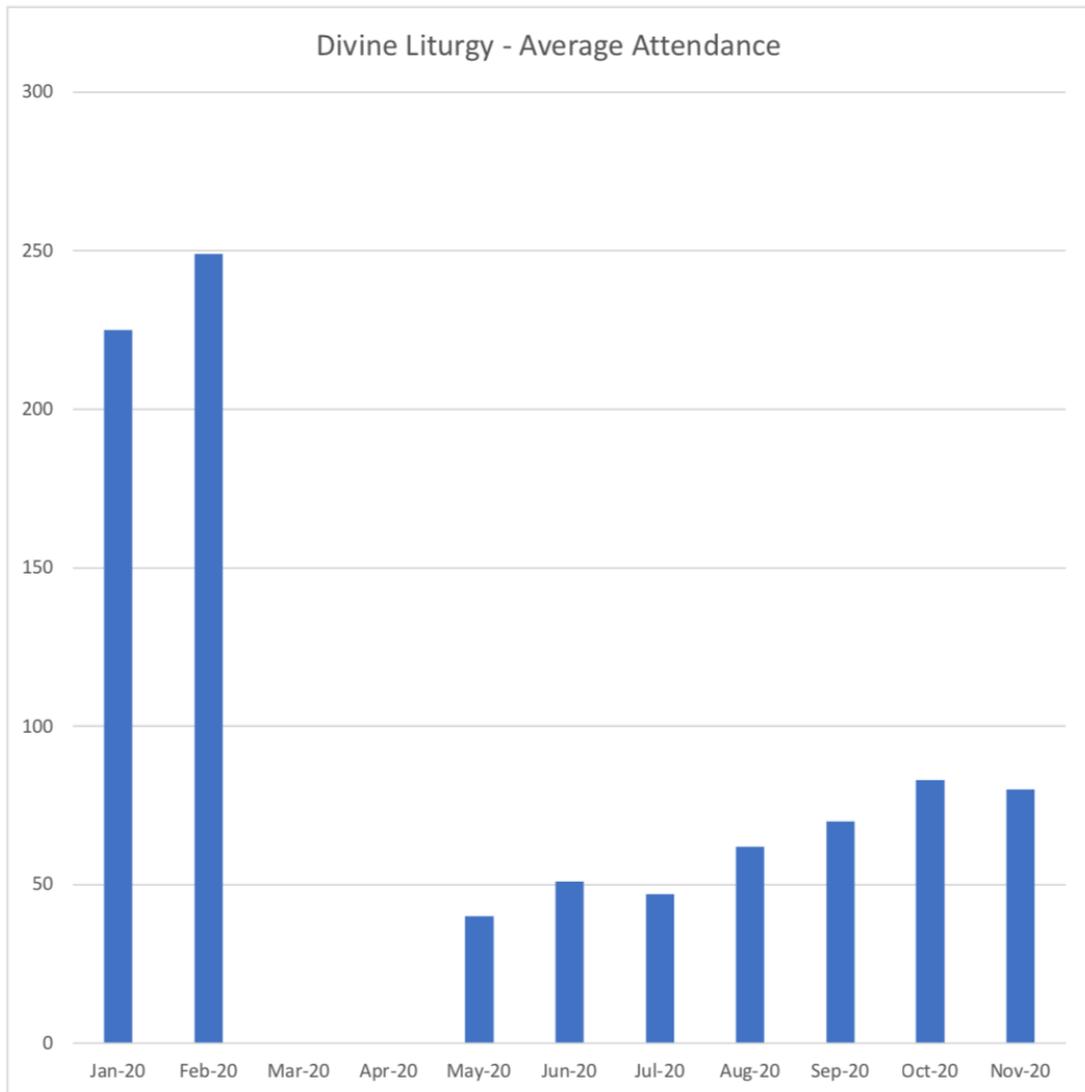
Greeters Report – 2020:

We are thankful for all of the greeters who have volunteered their services this past year. We also want to thank those who helped that are not part of our official Greeter Team. Our responsibilities changed quite a bit since the pandemic hit. Additionally, we want to thank our attending members for their cooperation in following our social distancing guidelines.

We have added greeter responsibilities for Wednesday and Saturday Vesper services along with Saturday and Sunday morning Divine Liturgy services. The below chart shows the average attendance for each month.

We began having 2 Divine Liturgy Services on the weekend of September 26, 2020. The average attendance seen below has increased because we combined the attendance of both Saturday and Sunday services for each weekend. The number listed below is the average number people who attended for each weekend. We went into a Covid 19 shutdown starting in the middle of March which is the reason you see no attendance listed for March and April.

| <u>Month</u> | <u>Average</u> |
|--------------|----------------|
| Jan-20 | 225 |
| Feb-20 | 249 |
| Mar-20 | 0 |
| Apr-20 | 0 |
| May-20 | 40 |
| Jun-20 | 51 |
| Jul-20 | 47 |
| Aug-20 | 62 |
| Sep-20 | 70 |
| Oct-20 | 83 |
| Nov-20 | 80 |



Respectfully submitted,

Pete Christopolous, Greeters Committee Chairman

Communications 2020

All Saints Orthodox Church has been very blessed with many talented people who have been instrumental in conducting the communication with our parishioners this difficult year. Many hands and hearts have been at work providing updates via google group email, the All Saints Orthodox Church website, or broadcasting our live streaming liturgies and vespers every Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays!!

I would like to thank Fr. Nicholas and Kh. Barbara for brightening our days with their "Rejoice Always" emails, and for guiding us with their wisdom and prayer all the way through this ongoing pandemic!! I think Moses would have had less trouble with his people while journeying from Egypt to Israel if he knew all the jokes with Ole, Sven and Lena!

The idea of a live video streaming of our church services has been nothing but a dream last year, and while I really hoped and prayed that this project could be accomplished, I, personally, never imagined the circumstances that would push us to have this project finalized sooner than later! For all the support and help, I am very grateful to Fr. Nicholas, to all the Parrish Council members, and especially to Michael Merkouris, our Parrish Council president, to Sam Cox, and Antenh Kibret, who have sacrificed their time and added their talents to support the live streaming of our church services.

I am deeply grateful to Aaron Hallberg not only for chanting during our Liturgies and Vespers, but for sorting through all the online surveys, grouping and regrouping lists of people based on attendance! His email reminders have helped us all plan safely our in-person church attendance.

Lastly, but not less important I would like to thank Protodeacon David, and to Fr. David Winn for all the google group email reminders, and to Kh. Destinie for capturing amazing pictures, which she contributed to our All Saints Orthodox Church website.

The above accomplishments would be lifeless if it weren't for your prayers at home and in church! The above accomplishments would have been in vain without the obedience to the "Pandemic Attendance Procedures".

Your way of communication in Christ has brought to mind the words of Dorotheas of Gaza: "The more one is united to his neighbor, the more he is united to God." Thank God for your good example to me, a miserable sinner, who many times was blind to see the heavy ship skin covering my prideful heart, but never failed to see the burden of wearing a light mask covering my face!

With love in Christ,

Zorica Craciun, Communications Chairman

2020 Facilities Management Committee

This year has been a busy year for our facilities at All Saints. In addition to our normal items of maintenance, we have completed two large projects. Most notably, we added large ceramic tile to the nave in the middle aisle, choir transept, and solea. And to prevent the lip of the tile from being a tripping hazard, we added a shim under the carpet at the edge of the new tile. Adding the shims now allows us to extend the useful life of our current carpet, which has held up surprisingly well over the past decade. Many thanks are owed to Fr. Nicholas, Fr. David, and Pete Christopoulos for their assistance bringing these two projects to completion.

Below is a complete list of the projects completed this year:

1. Complete annual, mandatory fire inspection.
2. Replace fire alarm batteries and fire extinguishers.
3. Complete annual, mandatory inspection of retention ponds.
4. Complete annual, mandatory inspection of backflow assemblies.
5. Install new ceramic tile in the nave.
6. Install shims under carpet at edge of new ceramic tile.

Respectfully Submitted,

Troy D. Shelton, Facilities Chairman

Financial Audit Report

Process

I reviewed the procedures and the documentation for the income, balance sheet, and budget versus year to date comparisons. I also reviewed the documentation for revenues and expenses as well as check book register versus receipts versus bank statement reconciliations in accordance with GAAP for the 2020 fiscal year. I discussed my findings with Treasurer Mihai Ibanescu.

Findings

I find the procedures adopted and implemented by All Saints Orthodox Church, and especially its leadership, council, and others to be consistent with GAAP and the stewardship of financial resources entrusted to it.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kyra E. Zoranski

2020 Treasurers Report

Activity Summary

Year 2019 Highlights

Because the Annual Meeting in 2019 occurred before the end of the year, the actual numbers for 2019 were not available at that time. Here are the final numbers.

Budgeted offering for 2019 was \$340,168, with the actual offering being \$340,613.

Expenses were about \$500 over budget. The end result was a surplus of \$748.

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Year 2020

With the addition of an assistant priest, the expenses for the second half of the year are above budget, as expected.

Regular Sunday offerings are below budget, and comparisons with previous years show they were affected by COVID-19. As of the end of October, offering is about \$30,000 below last year's offering for the same 10 month period.

The outstanding balance for mortgage was at \$367,231. The 2019 report listed the balance at \$426,412 for the same time last year. As reported at the previous Annual Meeting, we had completed the refinancing just prior to the meeting, but after we had printed the reports.

2021 Proposed Budget Highlights

The 2021 budget is following the 2020 budget.

The Parish Council has approved the proposal for a 1.3% cost-of-living adjustment for all of the church's personnel (Proto-Deacon, Deacon, and Administrative Assistant). It has also approved the proposal for a housing allowance for Fr. Nicholas.

Insurance costs have been increasing, so the budget has been adjusted accordingly.

Maintenance costs are on the rise, given the aging of our facilities.

Budget Projections in Low Attendance Times

The process of laying out a budget for our church starts with categorizing our expenses, and then adjusting the income needed to support those expenses. We try to control expenses at all times, and that is true for next year as well.

Our expectation of offerings has been kept similar to previous, non-COVID years. We fully recognize we do not know when we will be able to function in the same conditions as in previous years. While unrealistic, we have to balance our expenses, which will hopefully also be lower.

Because of all the uncertainty, budgeting is very much an exercise in prayer. God has blessed us with a wonderful parish and we pray we will continue to worship Him with all our strength. As we cannot meet in person, we have found ways to keep our prayer life functional. May we continue to do so with our financial contributions, as an expression of our gratitude for all the bounties He has provided us.

Closing remarks

If you have questions or comments about the proposed budget, please do not hesitate to contact Fr. David or me prior to the annual meeting.

I would like to extend my warmest wishes to Fr. Nicholas in his retirement. As a spiritual father for our whole parish and for this treasurer, he has gently guided us to grow our faith and welcome Christ in our lives with every miracle we recognize in our daily lives.

Respectfully submitted,

Mihai Ivanescu, Treasurer for the All Saints Parish Council